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GENEVA FOR US DEL REVCON

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR FRG VIEWS ON MBFR VERIFICATION

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1. WE DISCUSSED THE ISSUE OF MBFR PHASE I NEGOTIATED VERIFICATION WITH FRG DISARMAMENT COMMISSIONER ROTH ON MAY 12 IN ACCORDANCE WITH REFTEL. WE MADE THE POINTS SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPHS ONE AND SIX AS DIRECTED AND LEFT A PAPER WITH ROTH WHICH CONTAINED PARAGRAPHS TWO-FIVE REFTEL.

2. AFTER THANKING US FOR THE PAPER, ROTH ASKED WHAT TIMING THE DEPARTMENT HAD IN MIND FOR RECEIVING FRG VIEWS. ROTH SAID THE FRG HAD JUST COMPLETED THE SECOND PART OF ITS OWN VERIFICATION STUDY, AND HE SHOWED US A SECRET

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MASSIVE STUDY PREPARED BY DORNIER SYSTEMS. ROTH SAID

THE FRG WILL NOW ATTEMPT TO UNDERTAKE FIELD TESTS BASED ON THE STUDY FINDINGS. HE SAID THE FRG IS PREPARING A SHORTENED VERSION OF THE STUDY WHICH IT WOULD LIKE TO PRESENT TO THE USG. ROTH SAID FURTHER HE HAD DISCUSSED THE STUDY RECENTLY WITH ACDA DIRECTOR IKLE AND DEPUTY DIRECTOR KLEIN WHILE ATTENDING THE NPT REVCON IN GENEVA. ROTH SAID IT WAS THE FRG'S INTENTION TO APPROACH THE USG AROUND THE END OF JUNE TO MAKE A PRESENTATION TO A FEW SELECTED PEOPLE, EITHER HERE OR IN WASHINGTON. THE FRG WOULD ALSO LIKE TO PURSUE THE IDEA OF HAVING A MEETING OF VERIFICATION EXPERTS TO DISCUSS THE VARIOUS ISSUES.

3. IN VIEW OF ROTH'S COMMENTS, EMBASSY REQUESTS GUIDANCE FROM THE DEPARTMENT REGARDING THE TIME FRAME WITHIN WHICH FRG VIEWS ON VERIFICATION ARE DESIRED.
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